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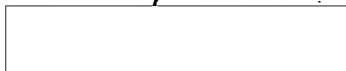
MEMORANDUM FOR: CIA ELINT Staff Officer

SUBJECT : Systems #1 and #3 Recommendations

1. It is requested that Lockheed deliver one nose section of the AQUATONE vehicle to the ELINT Staff Officer. This nose section will be used for designing and fitting antennas for new frequency ranges. Antenna ranges are being set up by TSS/DEP and O/Commo. With either of these ranges, quick and economical antenna configurations for new frequency ranges could be fabricated as needed.

2. It is universal in the history of operational ELINT and COMINT that new collection methods and vehicles lead to new collection opportunities and problems and that best results are obtained if a limited research and development effort is available for rapidly meeting these problems and opportunities. With a nose section and an antenna range of Paragraph 2 above, sufficient facilities will exist for a quick reaction capability for these needs.


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